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ON LONDON.

Telegraphic Transfer	3000
Bank Bill on demand	3000
Bank Bill at 30 days sight	3000
Bank Bill at 60 days sight	3000
Bank Bill at 90 days sight	3000
Bank Bill at 120 days sight	3000
Bank Bill at 150 days sight	3000
Bank Bill at 180 days sight	3000
Bank Bill at 210 days sight	3000
Bank Bill at 240 days sight	3000
Bank Bill at 270 days sight	3000
Bank Bill at 300 days sight	3000
Bank Bill at 330 days sight	3000
Bank Bill at 360 days sight	3000

ON PARIS.

Bank Bill on demand	440
Bank Bill at 30 days sight	440
Bank Bill at 60 days sight	440
Bank Bill at 90 days sight	440
Bank Bill at 120 days sight	440
Bank Bill at 150 days sight	440
Bank Bill at 180 days sight	440
Bank Bill at 210 days sight	440
Bank Bill at 240 days sight	440
Bank Bill at 270 days sight	440
Bank Bill at 300 days sight	440
Bank Bill at 330 days sight	440
Bank Bill at 360 days sight	440

ON BOMBAY.

Telegraphic Transfer	2575
Bank Bill on demand	2575
Bank Bill at 30 days sight	2575
Bank Bill at 60 days sight	2575
Bank Bill at 90 days sight	2575
Bank Bill at 120 days sight	2575
Bank Bill at 150 days sight	2575
Bank Bill at 180 days sight	2575
Bank Bill at 210 days sight	2575
Bank Bill at 240 days sight	2575
Bank Bill at 270 days sight	2575
Bank Bill at 300 days sight	2575
Bank Bill at 330 days sight	2575
Bank Bill at 360 days sight	2575

ON SHANGHAI.

Bank at sight	732
Private, 30 days sight	732

Quotations are—

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China Insurance Company's Shares—850	per share
North China Insurance—300	per share
Yangtze Insurance Association—130	per share
Chinese Insurance Company, Limited—4165	per share
On Tai Insurance Company, Limited—148	per share
Canton Insurance Office, Limited—8824	per share
Hongkong Fire Insurance Company's Shares—8524	per share
China Fire Insurance Company's Shares—573	per share
Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Company's Shares—94	per share
Hongkong, Canton, and Amoy Steamship Co's Shares—845	per share
Indo-China Steam Navigation Co's Shares—174	per share
China and Malacca Steamship Company, Limited—30	per share
Douglas Steamship Company, Limited—9	per share
Hongkong Gas Company's Shares—390	per share
Hongkong Hotel Company's Shares—160	per share
China Sugar Refining Company, Limited—108	per share
China Sugar Refining Company (Debtentures)—1	per cent premium
Luzon Sugar Refining Company, Limited—385	per share
Hongkong Ice Company's Shares—1424	per share
Hongkong and China Bakery Company, Limited—1115	per share
Perak Tin Mining and Smelting Company—840	per share
Salvador Tin Mining Company—313	per share
Perak Sugar Cultivation Company—13	per share
Hongkong and Amoy Manufacturing Company, Limited—379	per share
Chinese Imperial Loan of 1884 A—2	per cent premium
Chinese Imperial Loan of 1884 B—5	per cent premium
Chinese Imperial Loan of 1884 C—5	per cent premium

HONGKONG TEMPERATURE.

Time	Barometer	Thermometer	Wind	Clouds
7 A.M.	30.0	78.0	W	1/4
10 A.M.	30.0	78.0	W	1/4
1 P.M.	30.0	78.0	W	1/4
4 P.M.	30.0	78.0	W	1/4
7 P.M.	30.0	78.0	W	1/4
10 P.M.	30.0	78.0	W	1/4

HONGKONG TIDE TABLE.

Hour	High Water	Low Water
7 A.M.	10.0	2.0
10 A.M.	10.0	2.0
1 P.M.	10.0	2.0
4 P.M.	10.0	2.0
7 P.M.	10.0	2.0
10 P.M.	10.0	2.0

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Station	Barometer	Thermometer	Wind	Clouds
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